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PETITION AND FEE FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), the Applicants respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time to and including April 20, 2003, to file a response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2002, which carried an original response date of March 20, 2003.

Please charge the amount of \$110.00 for the one-month extension, and any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of this response to Deposit Account No. 13-0206. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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